

80TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 758
(HR 2319)

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 3 (legislative day, FEBRUARY 19), 1947

Mr. GURNEY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred
to the Committee on Armed Services

A BILL

To promote the national security by providing for a National
Defense Establishment, which shall be administered by a
Secretary of National Defense, and for a Department of the
Army, a Department of the Navy, and a Department of the
Air Force within the National Defense Establishment,
and for the coordination of the activities of the National
Defense Establishment with other departments and agencies
of the Government concerned with the national security.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 SHORT TITLE

4 That this Act may be cited as the "National Security
5 Act of 1947".